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report on a radar installation at Jasanky
(N 48-37, E 14-04), near the Austrian border. Sketches show the location
of the installation and appearance of the instrument.

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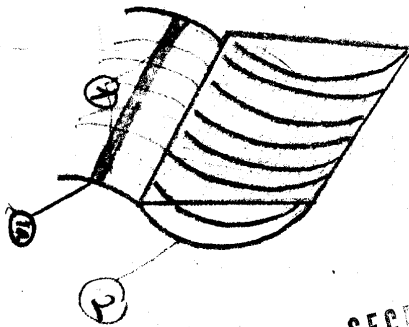
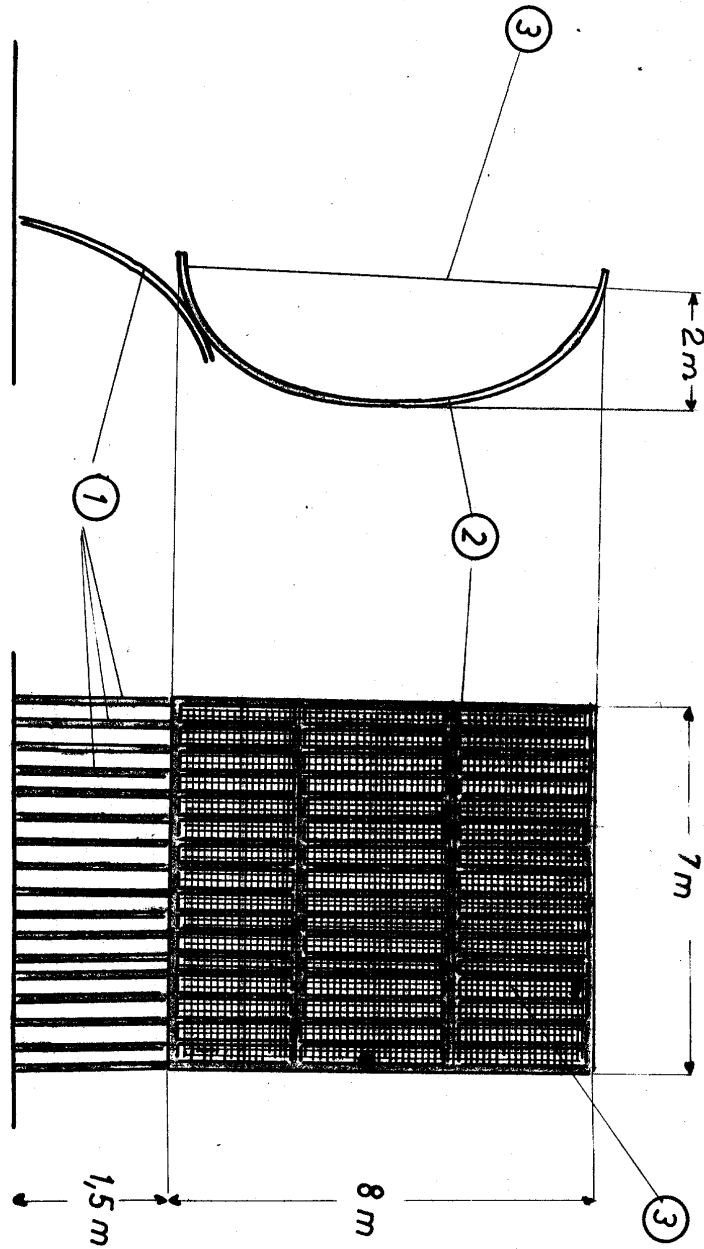
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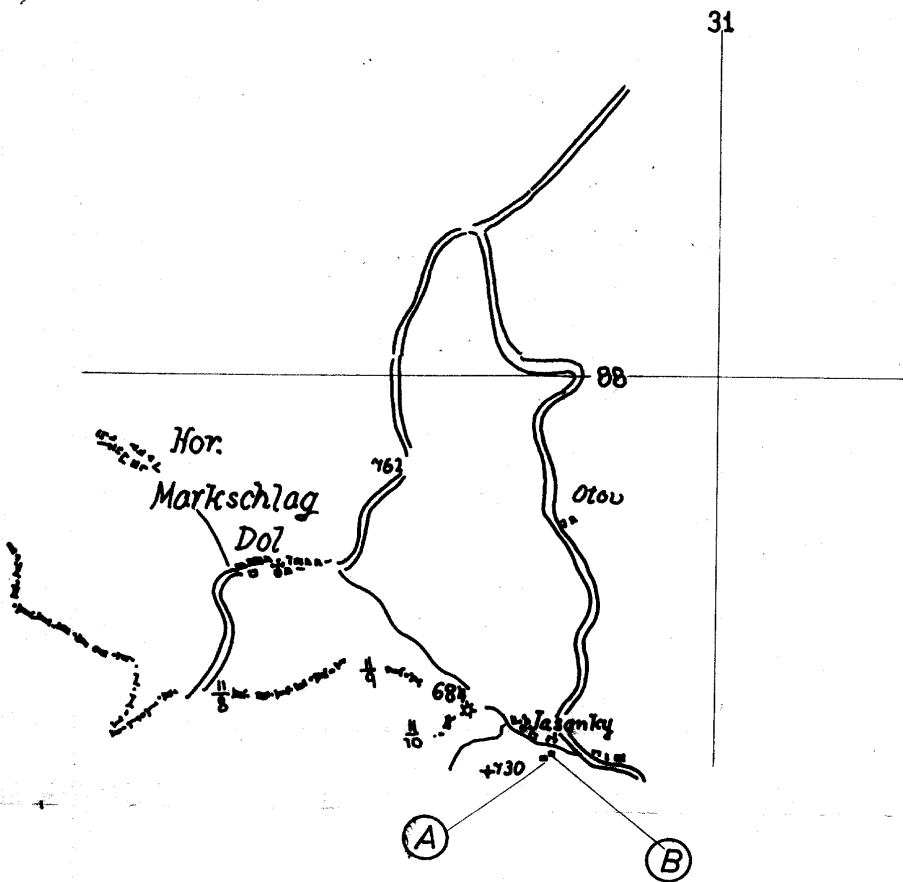


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The installation is near the Austrian border and about five kilometers from the Austrian town of Haslach. For exact location see the sketch # 1.

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2. The installation consists of a radar station and an underground bunker whose top is about 1.5 meter above the ground. Adjacent is a parking space for trucks. The lower part of the radar station could not be observed because of the bunker; the radar antenna was about 10 meters high and looked very massive. Several soldiers in khaki uniforms were seen in the area of the installation. About 10 trucks were parked at the parking lot.

3. Legend for the sketch # 1

- (A) Radar station.
- (B) Underground bunker.

4. Legend for the sketch # 2

- (1) Antenna carrier consisting from about 20 parallel parabolically bent metal bars and protruding about 1.5 meter above the top of the underground bunker. The bars were connected by a bar (1a).
- (2) Radar antenna proper. The frame consisted of about 20 metal bars bent into semi-circle and connected together by 3-4 parallel horizontal metal bars which were thinner than the vertical bars. The vertical bars were about 30 cm apart; their approximate radius of curvature was about two meters. The overall dimensions of the antenna were about 7 x 8 meters. The antenna was stationary when observed, tilted upward at about 60 degrees with the horizontal and turned towards southwest.
- (3) Wire net filling in the space between the semi-circular bars. The net was from thin wire and arranged in small squares.

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